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WILL VOTE ON PLAN

OF CONSOLIDATING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN ONLY TWO PLACES.

FIRST TIME VOTED ON

Prof. Emberson Spoke to Good Crowd at Meeting at Pickering Saturday.

The consolidation plan will be voted on Tuesday in five school districts in Union township and in two districts in Lincoln township. The districts in Union that will vote on the plan are Pickering, Lock, Bloomfield, Mowery and Glendale, and the two school districts in Lincoln are Elmo and district No. 14, which is north of Elmo.

Since this is the first time that the consolidation plan of schools has been voted on in this county, the result will be watched closely, as many other school districts are agitating the plan. It is thought that the plan will carry at Elmo, but reports from Pickering indicate that it will be close in those five districts, with the odds against the plan.

Prof. R. H. Emberson of the rural education department of the state university at Columbia spoke at Pickering Saturday afternoon on the plan. The meeting was well attended and was held in the Christian church of that town. County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson also gave a talk on the advantages of consolidation.

During the past two years Prof. Emberson has been gathering data about the Missouri country school, "the little red school house" of the pernicious country politician. The schools pay low salaries, employ inferior teachers, are poorly equipped, have inferior buildings, and are attended by very few pupils, in certain sections. This condition is not general, but where it exists the plan is to consolidate several such districts, and get better instruction and equipment for the pupils by this means.

Consolidated rural schools have been tried out with great success in Illinois, Ohio and other states east of here. The plan as followed in Illinois is to consolidate three or four adjoining districts, and build a first-class school building in the center of the enlarged district. This enables the grading of the school to be worked out along the line of improved ideas, and for the equipment to be no worse inferior to that of the town grade school. The roads leading to the school are worked by teams owned by the district, and children on the outskirts of the district are brought to school each morning by a hack, which calls for them at a certain hour. This eliminates the tardies and makes attendance far more regular than it is under present conditions.

In Missouri the consolidation of schools is urged in many parts of the state, and has been tried out in some places. The consolidated school district is able to build a school house heated by furnace, and with the best equipment, whereas it is a matter of common knowledge that many a country school is now poorly housed and is taught by poorly paid instructors.

Was Patient at Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and little daughter returned to their home in Stanberry Saturday. The little girl had been a patient at St. Francis hospital for a week from lung trouble, but went home much better.

Easter Cards

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LECTURE TO TEACHERS.

President Taylor Spoke on "The Efficiency of the Teacher" at Maitland Saturday.

Dr. H. K. Taylor returned Saturday night from Maitland, where he delivered a lecture on "The Efficiency of the Teacher" before the Holt County District Teachers' association, which was in session at Maitland Friday and Saturday. Dr. Taylor reports a most interesting program, which consisted of addresses, discussions and several musical features. Dr. Taylor was especially impressed with the splendid work of the Maitland orchestra, which played at different times during the session of the association.

The association at Maitland is the last of a series of seven that have been conducted by County Superintendent E. A. Rock of Holt county. Prof. Rock has done much toward the raising of the efficiency of the schools of Holt county. He assured Dr. Taylor Saturday that he, together with a large number of his teachers, will attend the summer quarter of the Maryville Normal.

Dr. Taylor left Monday noon for Pattonsburg, where he delivers a rural consolidation speech at the Civil Bend district Monday night.

MINK LEAGUE MEETING.

Hiawatha Replaces Shenandoah and Beatrice Gets Clarinda Franchise.

Warren Cummings of Auburn, part owner of the local ball club last season, has been elected president of the Mink league, which organized for the season at a meeting at Auburn, Neb., Saturday. J. H. Morehead of Falls City, candidate for governor, was elected treasurer, and Mr. Cummings was also appointed secretary.

The Shenandoah, Ia., franchise was transferred to Hiawatha, Kan., and the Clarinda, Ia., franchise to Beatrice, Neb. A schedule committee was appointed and the salary limit raised to \$900. The season will begin May 9 and end September 2.

COURT ADJOURNED TO APRIL 18.

Judge J. W. Peery to Sit as Special Judge in Grawney-O'Donnell Case.

Circuit court was adjourned late Saturday afternoon to April 18, when J. W. Peery of Albany will sit as special judge in the case of Elizabeth Grawney vs. Patrick J. O'Donnell and Joseph J. O'Donnell, to set aside a deed.

Court will then adjourn to May 6, when Judge Trimble of Liberty, Mo., to sit as special judge in a number of cases.

TO ABANDON SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Matter Will Be Voted on Tuesday in White Cloud to Do Away With Fannon School District.

In White Cloud township the proposition of abandoning the Fannon school district will be voted on Tuesday. The plan is to divide the territory in this school among Sallow, Blackman, Trego and Morgan school districts in that township.

Presbyterian Holy Week Services.

Rev. Samuel D. Harkness announced a series of special services yesterday for this week. They are to be held Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. The events of the last week in the ministry of Jesus will serve as inspiration to a deeper consecration to the Master. These services will commence at 7:30 p. m. each night. Every one is cordially invited to join in this Holy Week worship.

Land Sale.

The Frank P. O'Riley 40-acre farm, five miles northeast of the city, was sold to O. W. Swinford through the Bickett & Son real estate agency for \$75 an acre, while Mr. O'Riley purchased the O. W. Swinford 80-acre farm, southwest of the city, for \$100 an acre. Mr. Swinford may move on his farm.

Mrs. Arthur Adcock and daughter, Chloe, of Fort Collins, Colo., returned to Pickering Saturday, where they are visiting, from a few days' visit in Maryville with her brother-in-law, W. A. Townsend and family. Mrs. Adcock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, at Pickering. She was called home by the death of her sister, Miss Ethel Alexander.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

ELECTION TUESDAY OLD RESIDENT DIES

SOME LITTLE INTEREST TAKEN WITH TWO TICKETS IN FIELD.

MRS. PETER PEARCE OF BARNARD PASSED AWAY SUNDAY.

ODDS FOR MAYOR ROBEY LIVED HERE SINCE 1855

Fight Made on F. C. Conrad and Jim Andy Ford—To Vote on School Directors.

Was 78 Years Old—Funeral Services Will Be Held Tuesday at the Home.

Quite an interest is being taken in the city election to be held tomorrow, and there promises to be a large vote polled. There are two tickets in the field, the Non-Partisan and the People's.

The candidates on the Non-Partisan ticket are:

Arthur S. Robey, for mayor.

John G. Grems, for city collector.

E. C. Moberly, for city marshal.

Frank Ewing, alderman from First ward.

John Borrusch, alderman from Second ward.

Jim Andy Ford, alderman from Third ward.

William Moyer, alderman from Fourth ward.

The candidates on the People's ticket are:

Judge J. H. Sayler, for mayor.

John G. Grems, for city collector.

E. C. Moberly, for city marshal.

Capt. E. S. Cook, alderman from First ward.

F. C. Conrad, alderman from Second ward.

Charles McNeal, alderman from Third ward.

Ed Otis, alderman from Fourth ward.

The odds are in favor of the re-election of Mayor Robey.

The fight will be principally on the candidates for alderman. One will be on F. C. Conrad in the Second ward, who, it is said, deserved the credit for getting the People's ticket in the field. Jim Andy Ford will also have quite an opposition as the followers of the People's ticket seem to be centering their fight on him.

Two school directors—L. C. Cook and Dr. Jesse Miller—will also be voted on at this election. There is no opposition to this ticket. The usual school levy of six mills in addition to the four mills will also be voted on.

The result of the election will be known a few minutes after the polls close Tuesday evening, and any one wanting to know can telephone The Democrat-Forum, who will get the election returns.

No Statement to Make.

When a representative of the Democrat-Forum asked Judge Sayler, the People's candidate for mayor, if he had any statement to make today in the way of submitting the proof to the charge that was made against Mayor Robey by him, he replied that he had nothing further to add.

The judge seems to have been very hasty in making the charge against Mayor Robey, and probably regrets it at this time. It is unfortunate, to say the least, that he should have permitted his temper to overcome his judgment. Indiscriminate assaults upon the character of candidates had a place in campaigns gone by, but the voters of the present day as a rule are not impressed with "mud slinging."

RICHIE CASE REVERSED

By the Kansas City Court of Appeals Monday—Was an Insurance Suit.

Shinabarger, Blagg & Ellison received word from Kansas City Monday that the case of Mrs. Mary Richey vs. the W. O. W. Lodge had been reversed by the Kansas City court of appeals. The case was tried in Nodaway county about a year and a half ago, and Mrs. Richey secured judgment against the insurance company for \$1,600. Then an appeal was taken by Mrs. Richey to the court of appeals. B. R. Martin was the attorney for Mrs. Richey.

Death From Infantile Paralysis.

The 9-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Grimmett, living near Gaynor, died Saturday morning of infantile paralysis, after a two weeks' illness. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the home. Owing to the infectious nature of the disease the Grimmett residence will be thoroughly fumigated.

friends at the club's final card party of the season, given Friday night. Mrs. C. E. Donlin won the lady's prize. The gentleman's prize went to Mr. Warren Robb, and the guest prize to Miss Edna Bonewitz. An elegant luncheon was served after the games. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woolridge, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clutter, Mrs. J. W. Lindsay, Misses Kate and May Brown, Messrs. Simeon and S. E. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown, Mr. Jacob Haat, Mr. Robert Wolfers, Miss Lou Hughes, Miss Edna Bonewitz, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Robb.

Surprised Mrs. Herndon.

Mrs. O. K. Herndon and son went to Parnell Saturday for a few days' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, when they will leave for their new home in Kansas City. On Thursday Mrs. Herndon was very pleasantly surprised by the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Christian church, who came to her home and spent the afternoon with her and bade her good-bye. There were twenty-three in the company. The guests brought a delicious luncheon with them, and a delightful afternoon was spent, although it was truly regretted that Mrs. Herndon was going to leave our city. She has been one of the Circle's most devoted members. Mr. and Mrs. Herndon will be at home at 431 Bales avenue, Kansas City, and will be glad to welcome their Maryville friends there.

Gave Classes a Party.

Miss Ada Albert, Miss Katherine Helwig, Mr. F. W. Olney and Professor Herrington entertained their classes of the First Baptist church Sunday school with a party Friday evening in the church parlors. Their guests, numbering nearly one hundred, were received by the hostesses and hosts and their assistants, Miss Antoinette Craig, Miss Mabel Hunt, Miss Helen Burris, Miss Laura Ozemberger, Miss Lou Henderson and Mr. Orlo Quinn, who also looked after the pleasure of the company throughout the evening.

There were thirteen tables of various games, played progressively, and two tables where beads and buttons were strung for a pastime and the names of noted people were guessed from their pictures. A three-course luncheon was served. It was the pleasantest affair that has been given at this church for some time.

Entertained at Dinner.

As Sunday was the fifty-sixth birthday anniversary of W. L. Robey, Mr. and Mrs. Robey entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. William Auffert and Mayor A. S. Robey and family. The odds are in favor of the re-election of Mayor Robey.

Entertained for Nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows gave an evening party Friday in compliment to their nephews, Mr. Harold Bellows and Mr. Dale Bellows, and their guest, Mr. James Francis of Los Angeles, Cal., who are spending the spring vacation in Maryville from their studies at Ames, Ia., agricultural college. Those in the company beside the honor guests were Miss Ella Walton Frank, Miss Marie Brink, Miss Elise Jackson, Miss Cecil Benight, Miss Brownie Tool, Mr. Fred Bellows and Mr. Frank Schumacher.

Entertained for Mother.

Mrs. Lizzie Hillard of East Thorpe street entertained with a dinner for her aged mother, Mrs. Sarah Covel, Sunday to observe her eighty-first birthday anniversary. It has been Mrs. Hillard's custom for several years to give a dinner on her mother's birthday anniversary. The guests on Sunday presented Mrs. Covel a gift of money amounting to \$8.75. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hillard and children, Mr. and Mrs. Al Middleton, Miss Lulu Pearl Middleton, Frank Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, and Riley Covel.

Her Nineteenth Birthday.

Miss Marie Grundy entertained a number of her girl friends Saturday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Grundy, to observe her nineteenth birthday anniversary. And this is the very last birthday party she is going to have, because she is going to quit having birthdays any more. A delightful evening was spent playing various games, when refreshments were served. Miss Grundy was assisted in entertaining by her mother and sister, Miss Marie. The guests were Misses Oma Robey, Lois Cummings, Esther Roberts, Hazel Gove, Sylvestra Holliday, Hazel Martin, Ola, Ora and Flora King, Ada Clayton, Zephia Spoor, Angie VanHorn, Audrey Broyles, Marie Grundy, Mary Culver.

Guests of the Andrews.

Mrs. S. Levy of Kansas City, formerly of Maryville, arrived in Maryville Monday and will be the guest of Mrs. Clark Andrews for two or three weeks. Mrs. Levy makes her home with her son, Edwin Levy, and his wife in Kansas City.

Employed in Kansas City.

Misses Josie and Mary Carden went to Kansas City Monday morning where Miss Mary will be employed as stenographer for the Underwood Typewriting company, and Miss Josie will attend a business college.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMaster of Hopkins entertained the Salad club and its husbands and gentlemen friends at their home Saturday evening.

STABBED IN FIGHT

FRED GRIFFY BADLY CUT BY JAMES LANE AT CLEARMONT.

LANE ALSO DREW A GUN

Trouble Started Over a School Matter—Lane Has Not Been Arrested as Yet.

In a fight at Clearmont Saturday morning, Fred Griffey was stabbed by James Lane. The cut is deep and two inches long and might prove a serious one. When Lane attempted to stab Griffey a second time he was knocked down by Howard Garrett, Lane then pulled out a revolver on both of them and said that he would kill them, but evidently changed his mind, for he didn't use it.

The trouble seems to have started back in the Heads College school, southeast of Clearmont, of which Hubert Garrett is teacher. Cleo Lane, about 8 years old and a son of James Lane, was corrected for whistling in school one day. He told his father, who was district clerk of the school, and it is said that Lane made some remarks and called young Garrett several names.

Then Howard Garrett, an older brother of Hubert, took the matter up and inquired of Lane Saturday morning on the main street in Clearmont if it was true that he had called his brother names. Lane denied that he had.

Lane then said he could prove it by Fred Griffey, so he called for Griffey, who joined the party. Griffey replied that he had heard Lane use abusive language against the teacher. Lane immediately pulled out a jack knife and stabbed Griffey.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Candidate for Chief of Police.
I hereby announce my candidacy for
the office of chief of police.
ELMER C. MOBERLY.

For Councilman.
I hereby announce myself for councilman for the Fourth ward.
ED OTIS.

For City Marshal.
We are authorized to announce that
Charles Ross will be a candidate for
city marshal, subject to the decision
of the voters at the city election,
April 2.

Will Act as Substitute.
Miss Murrel Brown of Quitman was
in Maryville Saturday on her way to
Stanberry, where she will take charge
of a school east of Stanberry on Monday
for Miss Violet O'Reilly, who will
not be through with her term at the
East Star school, near Skidmore, for
two weeks. Miss Brown is just back
from St. Joseph, where she has been
taking a course in the Whitmore Business
college.

Attended Brother-in-Law's Funeral.
Peter Mergen went to Kansas City
Saturday evening to attend the funeral
services on Sunday of his brother-in-law,
Sergeant James W. Hogan, who
had been a member of the Kansas City
police force for twenty-three years.

Will See Julia Marlowe.
Miss Jennie Garrett went to St. Joseph
Monday morning for a two days' visit
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Toel. Miss Garrett will see
Julia Marlowe Monday night in "Romeo and Juliet."

Attending Probate Court.
Captain James Ewing of Hopkins is
attending probate court and visiting
his son and daughter, Frank Ewing
and Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass. Captain
Ewing is in his eighty-fifth year, but
is in good health.

To Bedford April 20.
The Missouri Ladies' Military band
of Maryville will give a concert in
Bedford the night of April 20, in the
beautiful new opera house.

To See Julia Marlowe.
Mrs. Zetta Broyles and Miss Nelle
Campbell went to St. Joseph Monday
morning and will see Julia Marlowe
Monday night.

**Plenty of coal on hand. No advance
in price.** P. MERGEN.

Announce Birth of Son.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trullinger of
Frather avenue announce the birth of
a son to them on Sunday night,
March 31.

Will Speak for Consolidation.
President Taylor left Monday for
Pattonburg. He will speak at Civil
Bend Tuesday night for rural school
consolidation.

Miss Nannie Schoeler of Fairfax
was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. W. J.
Parvin over Sunday.

**Base ball goods. A full line at
CRANE'S.**

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ware and granit-
ware. Bargains in
every article. Choice
10c.

Keep your eye on this
space for the rose bush
sale.

Picture framing at
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POEM ON "TEACHERS."
Read at Maitland Meeting by Miss
Frances Gelvin, a 13-Year-Old Girl.

On the program of the District
Teachers' association at Maitland,
Saturday, appeared Miss Frances V.
Gelvin, a 13-year-old high school girl,
who read an original poem on "Teachers."
President Taylor of the Normal
was present, and being much im-
pressed with the poem, secured a copy
of it. Here it is:

I always pitied teachers,
From the bottom of my heart;
And when other people criticize,
I want to take their part.

It's true they are provoking,
When they keep us after school;
And when they cut deportment
For breaking every rule.

We try to do our very best,
But they're very hard to please;
They never let us get a drink,
Or cool off in a breeze.

But when I think of teaching,
I wonder what I'd do;
I guess I'd scold and shake my head,
And jerk down windows, too.

What is left for you to say,
When a note comes up to you
With, "Keep my Johnnie out of drafts."
Let him drink when he asks you to."

The only time they make me mad
Is when they fume and fret
About the work they have to do,
And the salaries they get.

Their tasks are very simple;
How much of this is true?
Let's take a look around and see
Just what they have to do.

They must go out in society,
And join the P. E. O's,
Must patronize the lecture course,
But seldom picture shows.

They must superintend the Epworth
League.

And morals of the school,
And Latin, Trig., and Algebra.
Must teach to wit and fool.

Must understand diseases,
And detect the symptoms, too;
Must know "first aid to the injured,"
And remedies not a few.

They must learn to love the children,
Though black and slick with grease,
And when offered sticky candy,
Must smilingly take a piece.

They must go to teachers' meetings,
Which they really can't afford,
And list with smiling visage,
Though they cannot help be bored.

They must always please the public,
If not get down and out;
And when they're gone the pupils
raise
One glad triumphant shout.

Last, not least, of all of these,
Remember it if you can,
They must settle down a sour old
maid,
With no hope of getting a man.

Mrs. A. D. Simons returned to her
home in St. Joseph Monday morning
from a several days' visit with her
relatives here at the home of her sister,
Mrs. Henry Foster, also to see her
sister, Mrs. J. A. Mapes, who is also
visiting here and will leave in a few
days for Havre, Mont., to make her
home.

Miss Dorothy Pierce returned to
Chicago Sunday to again take up her
studies at Chicago university. Miss
Pierce was called home several days
ago by the illness of her grandmother,
Mrs. Margaret Pierce, who is now improv-
ing.

The condition of David Munn is
much better today. He was operated
on Friday for appendicitis and is re-
covering nicely from the operation.
A nice bouquet of flowers was sent
Mr. Munn by the boys of the Fourth
Ward.

Mr. Lloyd Lyle of Colorado Springs,
Col., son of H. H. Lyle, who moved
from this county to Colorado last September,
is in Maryville on a visit to his uncles, Robert, Humphrey and
Rankin Lyle, and their families.

Mrs. Dan Holmes went to Creston
Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. M. C. Bean, for two or three
weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Bean will cele-
brate their thirtieth wedding anni-
versary Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crabb returned
to their home in Darlington Monday.
Mrs. Crabb had been here since
Wednesday visiting her sisters, Mrs.
Amanda Lewis and Mrs. J. R. Croy.

Miss Nellie Trullinger of the Far-
mer's telephone exchange spent Sun-
day in Bedison with her relatives, Mr.
and Mrs. C. L. Evans.

James B. Duncan, who has been vis-
iting his parents, Professor and Mrs.
B. F. Duncan, returned to Kansas City
Monday morning.

Plenty of coal on hand. No advance
in price.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—18,000. Market strong. Es-
timate tomorrow, 4,000.
Hogs—36,000. Market 10c higher;
top, \$8.05. Estimate tomorrow, 16,000.
Sheep—30,000. Market weak.
KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—6,000. Market strong.
Hogs—6,000. Market strong; top,
\$7.90.
Sheep—10,000. Market weak.

ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—2,000. Market strong.
Hogs—10,000. Market strong; top,
\$7.90.
Sheep—4,500. Market weak.

Gave a Band Concert.
The Maryville band, L. V. Lawler,
director, gave a band concert Saturday
afternoon in the court house yard.
The concert was much enjoyed by the
large crowd that was in the city that
day.

Notice.
It has been suggested that a meet-
ing of the Oregon Valley land contract
holders be held at Maryville, Mo., on
Saturday, April 6, 1912, to consider the
interests of all concerned. Meeting
will be held at the Poland-China Rec-
ord office at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Jack Belcher and children re-
turned to their home, near Arkoe,
Monday morning from a visit with
her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. E. Belcher,
northeast of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tobin of Bur-
lington Junction visited in Maryville
Saturday and Sunday with her mother
and sister, Mrs. John Vaughn and Miss
Katherine Vaughn.

Miss Jester Hudson of Hastings,
Neb., went to Guilford Saturday to
visit the family of W. H. Young. She
has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ada
Hudson of this city.

Miss Elma Handley, a State Normal
student, went to her home at Ford
City Saturday to visit until after
Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
W. A. Handley.

Miss Lizzie Meyers, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Meyers of near
son, who has been attending St.
Mary's parish school, returned to her
home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cumpston went
to Kansas City Saturday evening for
a two or three weeks' visit with Mrs.
Cumpston's sister, Mrs. W. P. Baker
and family.

Mrs. O. W. Woodard returned Fri-
day from a two weeks' visit with her
husband, who is employed at Clarinda,
and with Mrs. Guy Redman at Brad-
dyville.

A marriage license was issued Mon-
day afternoon by Recorder Wray to
Karl Steinhauser of St. Joseph and
Anna Muehleisen of Hopkins.

Mrs. Laura Houghtaling of Boleckow
arrived Monday noon on a visit to her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Miller, liv-
ing east of the city.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Dillinger went
to St. Joseph Saturday evening to
visit over Sunday with Mr. G. T. Wil-
cox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ditto went to
Hopkins Saturday to visit over Sun-
day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.
M. Ephland.

Mrs. Maggie Cain and baby went to
Arkoe Monday morning, where she
was called by the illness of Mrs. Jack
Blecketer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Bar-
nard arrived Monday on a visit to Mrs.
Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Curnutt.

Mrs. Oscar Sallee and daughter,
Grace, and sister, Miss Katie Sallee
of Wilcox, were shopping in Maryville
Saturday.

S. E. Fisher was appointed adminis-
trator of the estate of George W.
Hosher Monday afternoon in probate
court.

J. F. Moon and W. H. Frazee at-
tended the funeral services of the late
Wesley Duke of Arkoe Saturday morn-
ing.

Eastman Kodaks and supplies at
CRANE'S.

Myron Sewell, James Lane and his
son, Charles, of Burlington Junction
were Sunday visitors in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Avitt announce
the birth of a son, March 24, who has
been named Paul Emmerson Avitt.

Plenty of coal on hand. No advance
in price.

P. MERGEN.

**W. W. ANDREWS and
C. D. & E. F. CALDWELL'S**

Aberdeen Angus Cattle Sale

Pierpoint's Sale Pavilion

Maryville, Mo., Tuesday, April 9th
At 1 o'clock p. m.

44 Head, 11 Bulls and 33 Females
22 Head from Each Herd

These are the Bulls for Herd Headers, Farmers and Stockmen

We are listing such a superior lot of females, of such choice
breeding, that they should appeal to the breeder and especially
to those desiring cattle for founding herds. All are young and
every bull or female listed is one that we think should please
and make good. We want to send you a catalogue which tells
the breeding and general information and will do so on receipt
of your request. We invite all farmers and stockmen to be with
us that day. Address either

**W. W. ANDREWS, Maryville, Mo., or
C. D. & E. F. CALDWELL, Burlington Junction, Mo.**

COL. IGO, Auctioneer.

CARPENTERS TIE UP BUILDING

Employers and Unions in Chicago
Disagree Over Wage Scale—
14,000 Are Idle.

Chicago, April 1.—Fifty thousand
workmen will be idle and building
operations in Chicago probably will
be suspended as the result of a strike
of 14,000 union carpenters just called.
Members of all allied trade unions
are expected to lay down their tools
in sympathy with the carpenters.

Difference of opinion between the
employers, and the union over a new
wage scale brought about the strike.
The union demanded 65 cents an hour
and the employers offered 62½ cents.
The former wage scale was 60 cents.

Contractors say the strike has
come at a critical time in the building
industry of Chicago. Work on many
large structures is being rushed for
completion on May 1.

A marriage license was issued Sat-
urday by Recorder Wray to Peter
Wahlgren and Miss Penelope Simmons
of Council Bluffs, Ia. They were mar-
ried by Squire J. W. Morris.

Mrs. Alexander Forbes, living south-
west of Maryville, went to Waterloo,
Ia., Saturday to visit her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Talkington went
to Ellston, Ia., Saturday to visit her
sister, Mrs. Frank Bebb.

Mr. Loren DeMotte went to Kansas
City Monday morning to spend a few
days with friends.

Mrs. Charles Finnel of Burlington
Junction was in Maryville shopping
Saturday.

Miss Rose Collins of the Barnard
schools spent Sunday at her home in
Maryville.

Mrs. John Pennington of Stanberry
was in Maryville on business Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Simoneig of Clyde
was shopping in Maryville Friday.

S. M. Simpson left Monday on a
business trip to Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Ernest Fairchild left Monday morn-
ing for Port Arthur, Texas.

Mrs. T. A. Steinhauser of Hopkins
was in Maryville Monday.

R. N. Allen of Bedison was in the
city Monday.

Easter novelties and post cards at
CRANE'S.

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Woven Wire

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I'ts Wasting Money to pay more for Groceries than we sell for To start April business off with a rush we are quoting extra good values. Tuesday and Wednesday We will sell

17 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar \$1.00
 Best 25c fresh ROASTED COFFEE at 20c
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 98-lb sack SUN KIST FLOUR \$2.45
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 Largest cans CARNATION MILK 3 for 25c
 WHITE CLOVER HONEY, frame 15c
 10c pkgs TEA RUSK, 2 for 15c
 10c pkgs best ROLLED OATS for 7c
 10c pkgs best CORN FLAKES for 6c
 15c pkgs best CORN FLAKES for 9c
 Campbell's 21 kinds SOUP, dozen cans for 90c
 Pure LARD (Rex brand), 4½ lbs 50c
 DIAMOND C or LENOX SOAP, 10 bars 25c
 10c tall PET MILK, largest can 7c
 5c baby size PPET MILK, 3 cans 10c
 10c pkgs MINCE MEAT, 2 for 15c
 4 for 25c
 5c RUB NO MORE, 3 pkgs 10c
 10c BORAX SOAP CHIPS, 2 for 15c
 15c KNOX GELATINE for 11c
 New ALMONDS, WALNUTS, FILBERTS or PECANS, lb 15c
 48 lbs SAFEGUARD FLOUR, warranted \$1.20
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 Iowa Chief SUGAR CORN, best corn packed in the west; 4 cans 25c
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 Best quality COUNTRY SORGHUM, gallon 55c
 SEED POTATOES—Rel River Early Ohio, plenty of them at, bu \$1.65

ONION SETS, gallon 30c
 15c cans PINK SALMON, 1-lb tall cans 10c
 10c cans PINK SALMON, ½-lb tall cans, 2 for 15c
 30 sacks JAPAN RICE, good quality, 5 lbs 25c
 Michigan NAVY BEANS, 5 lbs 25c
 New PEARL HOMINY, 8 lbs 25c
 Fresh FLAKED HOMINY, 7 lbs 25c
 18 lbs Santa Clara PRUNES for \$1.00
 8 lbs extra fancy YELLOW PEACHES for \$1.00
 SEDED RAISINS, 2 pkgs 15c
 SEEDLESS RAISINS, 2 pkgs 15c
 100 dozen cans California SLICED LEMON CLING PEACHES, 3 cans for 50c
 These are regular 25c size cans.
 New York State PLUMS in syrup, quart cans, 4 for 45c
 2½ lbs pure BAKING POWDER in milk can, for 22c
 California STEWING FIGS, 3 lbs 25c
 No. 1 SALT, per barrel \$1.30
 100-lb sack fine GRANULATED SUGAR \$5.90
 Orders from out-of-town customers have our prompt attention.

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 THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cook of Red Oak, Ia., who have been visiting Mr. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cook, went to St. Joseph Saturday evening.

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 Ladies—Ask your Druggist for
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 Pills in Red and Gold metallic
 boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon
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 CHICHESTER'S
 DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, or
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FAMILY RESCUED FROM HOUSEBOAT

Craft Sunk Within Five Minutes After Last Person Was Safe.

DRINKWATER LEVEE WENT OUT

Passengers Taken From Two iron Mountain Trains in Boats Near Bird's Point, Mo.—Bridge in Nebraska Ruined.

St. Louis, April 1.—Thousands of spectators saw the thrilling rescue of a family of seven from a sinking houseboat in which a man, his wife and five small children lived, which was torn from its moorings by the heavy driftwood that was carried from flood points above here. Soon after being swept into the current the frail craft, dragged over sunken snags, stove in its bottom and started to sink.

Two motor boats rushed to the rescue and after fighting off the heavy drift reached the side of the boat, just as the water was sweeping over the deck. It sank within five minutes after the last occupant had stepped to safety.

Both Rivers Rising.

Both the Mississippi and Ohio are rising at Cairo and although the city proper can stand several feet more, anxiety is felt for the levees above and below the mouth of the Ohio.

The Drinkwater levee, on the Missouri side, broke, despite the efforts of more than 1,000 men, and the water is sweeping over a three-mile stretch of levee and flooding almost the entire southeastern section of Missouri.

Two Iron Mountain trains were caught between the Bird's Point and Charlevon floods and the passengers had to be taken off in boats.

Missouri Gets Platte Flood.

Omaha, Neb., April 1.—The crest of the Platte river flood, which crippled railway service and inundated thousands of acres in eastern Nebraska the last three days, has passed into the Missouri river. The Platte is steadily lowering, but water still overflows large areas and train service is demoralized.

The Burlington main line bridge at Ashland, which withstood the pounding of ice for three days, was finally put out of commission at 2 o'clock in the afternoon when the west abutment sank four feet as a result of the washing out of the supporting earth. A pile driver sent over the bridge to repair a damaged culvert on the east approach is marooned between the two breaks.

SUGAR TRUST JURY DISAGREED

Three Years After Indictment, Trial of Officers for Violating Sherman Law Ends Without Result.

New York, April 1.—The jury in the case of John E. Parsons, Washington B. Thomas, George H. Frazier and Arthur Donner, charged with violating the criminal clause of the Sherman anti-trust law while directors of the American Sugar Refining company, reported a disagreement in the United States district court shortly before 1:30 o'clock a. m. The jury was discharged.

The indictments, found in July, 1909, alleged a conspiracy to close the newly-built plant of the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining company at Philadelphia in 1903. This was done, the government charged, by obtaining control of the majority stock of the Pennsylvania company, a probable competitor of the American concern, through a loan of \$1,250,000 made to Adolph Segal, promoter of the Pennsylvania company.

DENVER BANKS CONSOLIDATED

Combination Makes One of Largest Institutions in West, With Capital of \$25,000,000.

Denver, April 1.—The directors of the First National bank of Denver and of the Capitol National bank of Denver announce the consolidation of the latter with the former institution. By the consolidation the First National will increase its capital stock to \$1,250,000, and its surplus to the same amount, which will make it one of the largest banking institutions in the West. The combined resources will total \$25,000,000.

Capper Buys Farm Paper.

Guthrie, Ok., April 1.—Arthur Capper of the Topeka Capital bought from Frank H. Greer of Guthrie the Oklahoma Farmer, a semi-monthly farm publication. M. L. Crowther of Osage City, Kan., will be editor in charge here.

New President in Ecuador.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, April 1.—Gen. Leonidas Plaza has been elected president of Ecuador. Plaza was commander of the government troops which opposed the recent revolution ary movement.

Postal Bank With No Patrons.

Peoria, Ill., April 1.—The Postal Savings bank which has been opened at Minier, Ill., since March 1 has the unusual record of not a single deposit in the first 30 days which it has been open for business.

CITY HALL AND STATION.



Rock Island city hall and police station, the hub around which swirled the fatal riots of the past few days in the Illinois city.

SUES STATE FOR PRISON HELP

CONTRACTOR ENJOINS WITHDRAWAL OF CONVICTS.

Broom Company Claims Right to Prisoner's Labor Till Present Contracts Expire.

Jefferson City, April 1.—A suit to enjoin the warden of the Missouri penitentiary taking from the contractors any of the convicts hired to them until their contracts with the state expire was filed in the circuit court by William C. Irwin of Jefferson City representing the prison contractors.

Under the provisions of a law enacted by the forty-sixth general assembly providing for the gradual abolition of the contract system of convict labor, the state must take into its employ on April 1, 300 convicts. The board of prison inspectors issued an order to Henry Andrae, warden, to take these from the 17,000 under contract.

This order is resisted in the injunction proceedings just filed. It is contended the state cannot abrogate a contract and that the entire 17,000 men are under lease to the contractors until February, 1914, and that none of them may be withdrawn without a violation of the contract.

The injunction proceedings were brought for the Central Broom company, although all the other contractors are behind the suits. Judge Williams issued a temporary restraining order returnable at the July term of the circuit court.

There are approximately 500 convicts not under contract and it is from these the first 300 convicts should be taken, the contractors claim.

SIDNA ALLEN MET MOUNTAINEER

Court Slayer Threatened to Shoot, But Relented—Bloodhounds to be Used by State.

Mount Airy, N. C., April 1.—Sidna Allen, the court slayer was encountered here by Lafayette Ayers, a mountaineer, who was coming down a trail when he met Allen going up. Allen covered Ayers with a shotgun and declared that he would shoot him. When Ayers begged for his life and denied any participation in the hunt, Allen lowered his gun and went on into the mountains.

The holdup occurred near the Buzzard's Rock section, where, under a sheltered rock, Allen is supposed to have slept.

Ayers has been furnishing information to the detectives who are searching for the outlaws. The state's bloodhounds have just arrived at Mount Airy. They are the same which were used in the Beattie case.

ANOTHER COURTROOM SHOOTING

Man Who Attempted to Whip New Mexico Justice Shot and Killed.

Kenna, N. M., April 1.—Walter Orr, who formerly owned the townsite of Kenna, was shot and killed in the justice of the peace court room here after a scuffle with Justice W. H. Cooper, whom Orr was trying to whip because he had assessed him a fine of \$5 for contempt of court. The judge was injured slightly by a bullet grazing his hand. Hayzell Smith, brother-in-law of the dead man, was arrested for the killing. The shots were fired while the courtroom was crowded and the constable was pulling Orr away from the magistrate.

TO BREAK UP COLD.

Some Advice That Will Save Time and Money.

Strong drink and quinine may relieve a cold, but it usually does more harm than good.

To break up a hard cold in either head or chest thousands are using this sensible treatment.

First of all look after your bowels;

if they need attention use any reliable cathartic.

Then pour a scant tea-spoonful of Hyomei into a bowl of

boiling water, cover head and bowl

with a towel and breathe for five or

ten minutes the pleasant, soothing

healing vapor.

Do this just before going to bed;

your head will feel fine and clear

and you'll awake from a refreshing sleep

minus a cold in the morning.

For colds, coughs, catarrh, asthma

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A 50 cent bottle is all you need to break

up a cold and this can be obtained at

the Oscar-Henry Drug Co.'s and drug-

ists everywhere.

Arizona's Saloons in Peril.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 1.—The fate of at least half the saloons in Arizona is believed to hang upon the decision of Gov. Hunt in reference to a bill just passed by the legislature to exempt the saloons in Benson and Tucson from the law which prohibits the sale of liquor within six miles of a construction camp.

Senator Taylor Dead.

Washington, April 1.—Robert Love Taylor, senior United States senator from Tennessee—"Fiddling Bob," to all the South—died here. He was unable to withstand the shock of an operation performed last Thursday. He was 61 years old.

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MANIAC TRIED TO KILL GORE

Blind Senator of Oklahoma Had Narrow Escape at Waukesha.

ATTACKED IN MIDDLE OF SPEECH

Senator Unaware of Danger Until Lunatic Was Knocked From Platform by Judge P. C. Harmin—Carried Club Under Coat.

Waukesha, Wis., April 1.—Senator Gore of Oklahoma narrowly escaped death here when Charles Schomulla, a crazed Pole, attacked him with a club while the senator was speaking.

The Pole was sitting near the stage and in the midst of the blind senator's speech suddenly leaped to the platform, drawing a club from under his overcoat as he jumped. He struck at the senator's head.

One of the men on the stage, Judge P. C. Harmin, was quicker than the maniac, however, and knocked Schomulla off the stage before his blow landed. The senator, who could not see his danger, was unaware of the trouble until the man was being overpowered by the audience.

Speech Half Finished.

Senator Gore had arrived here in the afternoon for one of a half dozen speeches he was making in a hurricane wind-up of the campaign for Woodrow Wilson.

Judge Harmin had introduced him to the audience and had taken his seat back on the stage, while Senator Gore was proceeding with his address. The speech was nearly half ended when the Pole rose suddenly and jumped to the platform, taking the club from under his coat, where he had hidden it.

Promptly Knocked Down.

He was shouting incoherently that he was Jesus, and the audience for the moment was panic-stricken as the maniac ran toward Senator Gore.

As he raised the club Judge Harmin and a dozen others rushed forward. Harmin reached him first and felled him with a blow on the chin.

The authorities have found that Schomulla had planned to attack Roosevelt, who he thought was to go through Waukesha. The Roosevelt train, however, went through Wisconsin over another route.

DECEIVED THOMAS W. LAWSON?

Author of "Frenzied Finance" Sues Publisher Claiming He Was Cheated Out of Profits.

New York, April 1.—Col. d'Alton Mann, president of the Ess Ess Publishing company, which publishes "Town Topics," and recently owner of the Smart Set Magazine, is accused in a complaint filed in the supreme court of deceiving Thomas W. Lawson, a fellow stockholder for the past 14 years, by telling him there were no profits from the business, the net earnings of which ran up to over \$90,000 in some years and were never below \$6,000.

French Motor Bandit Caught.

Paris, April 1.—The minister of justice, N. Briand, announced that one of the motor bandits who have terrorized the city and environs has been arrested at Berck-Sur-Mer. The man is alleged to be one of the robbers who killed a chauffeur at Villeneuve, March 25, held up a bank at Chantilly and killed two of the employees and wounded another and escaped with \$8,000.

Bevier Miners Continue.

Bevier, Mo., April 1.—The coal miners of this district will continue to work pending negotiations for a new wage scale. The present contract has expired, but the Southwest district has a stipulation to continue work for 30 days while efforts are made to draw a new scale of wages for two years.

OLD-TIME REMEDY DARKENS THE HAIR

Gives Color, Lustre to Faded

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PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm known as the Oak Hill Stock farm, 4 miles east of Maryville on State road, we offer for sale our entire lot of live stock and grain, on

Wednesday, April 10, 1912

at 10 o'clock a. m. prompt.

9 HEAD OF HORSES—3 extra brood mares, in foal, weight about 1300 lbs. 2 of these will bring mule colts, the other horse colt; 1 pair coming 2-year-old geldings; one 5-year-old horse, broke; 1 coming 4-year-old broke; 1 coming 2-year-old mare, extra good one; 1 coming yearling saddle bred colt.

15 HEAD CATTLE—1 coming 2-year-old heifer, to be fresh soon; 6 coming yearling steers, 8 yearling heifers.

ABOUT 200 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 70 head of brood sows, to farrow soon, these are extra fine and well bred. About 50 head of hogs ready to go in feed lots, weighing from 120 to 160 lbs., in extra good flesh. Balance small shoats and pigs. These hogs are all healthy, never had any sickness and one of the best lot of hogs in Nodaway county. 2 Duroc male hogs, extra good.

CORN—About 300 bushels of corn in crib. About 100 cords of pole wood.

TERMS OF SALE—6 or 9 month's time on bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. **Lunch on ground.**

O. K. Herndon and J. A. Carmichael

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer. Geo. B. Baker, Clerk.

**MORE SHOOTING
AT ROCK ISLAND**

**Biot and Murder Follows First Day
of Open Saloons.**

EIGHTY MEN ARE UNDER ARREST

**Soldiers Claim They Have Not Fired
a Shot—Dead Man Found in Alley
After Raid on Club—Juries
Resume Inquiry.**

**Rock Island, Ill., April 1.—One mur-
der, a vicious attack by slugs, scores of fight and 80 men arrested,
was the record of the first day of open
saloons at Rock Island since the
militia closed down the places after
the fatal rioting of last Tuesday.**

**The dead man is Rufus Phoenix,
who was shot and his body thrown in
an alley. His death is surrounded in
mystery, the slugs claiming he was
shot by the soldiers, while the com-
manding officer of the state forces de-
clares his men have not fired a shot
since they assumed charge of the city.**

Mistaken for Police Chief.

**Walter Rice of Galesburg is badly
battered as a result of being taken
for Chief of Police Brian. Rice and Brian
look very much alike and dress
almost exactly the same. It is be-
lieved Rice was attacked and beaten
by a band of slugs who thought they
were assaulting the chief of police.**

**Eighty men, participants in street
fights during the night, many of them
intoxicated, are in the city and
county jails.**

**Following a free for all fight at the
Lincoln club and the interference of
soldiers and police, Rufus Phoenix,
chauffeur for Capt. Walter Rosen-
field, who is campaign manager for
Laurence Y. Sherman, candidate for
governor, was found dead in the alley
outside of the club shortly after mid-
night. He had been shot through the
left lung. Two stories are being cir-
culated as to how he met his death.**

Stories Disagree.

**One is that in a dispute in a poker
game he was shot and his body taken
outside the club to avoid publicity.
The other is that in the scramble of
club members to get away when the
police and militia arrived he was shot
down in trying to escape.**

**Fifteen men found in the club when
the raid was made are locked in the
police station. Coroner Rose will
hold a rigid investigation as soon as
he finishes with the inquest on the
two riot victims. Sheriff Bruner de-
clared that Phoenix had not been
shot by a militiaman.**

**All troops excepting two companies
will be withdrawn in the morning.
These companies combined will
muster about 100 men.**

**The coroner's jury will resume its
double inquest and among the wit-
nesses to be called are Mayor
Schriener and his bitter enemy, Harry
McCaskey.**

**The grand jury will reconvene and
will take the witnesses as fast as the
coroner's jury finishes its inquisition.**

FULTON SALOONS WILL REMAIN

**Circuit Court Declares Legal Recent
Election in Which Wets Were
Victorious.**

Fulton, Mo., April 1.—Judge David H. Harris, of the 34th judicial circuit disposed of the temporary writ of prohibition against the county court issued by him some weeks ago by ruling that while the local option law does not specifically provide for a re-submission of the measure after it had been once voted upon, the title of the bill implied such, and that an election after the expiration of four years would be legal. The ruling in effect declares legal the recent election by which saloons were voted into Fulton.

Army Chaplain a Suicide.

Jacksonville, Ill., April 1.—The body of the Rev. John A. Dallam, a chaplain in the army, was found in a field near Meredosia, this county. He had been stationed at Fort Harrison, Indianapolis, and disappeared from that post two weeks ago.

Drowned in Cedar River.

Waterloo, Iowa, April 1.—Walter Downing, 21 years old, was drowned and a brother 19 years old narrowly escaped death when their boat capsized in Cedar river, a half mile above the city. The current is deep and swift and the body was not recovered.

Wiley to Lecture.

New York, April 1.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley has just closed a contract here to give 100 lectures through the United States next season. The tour will begin in October and will include engagements from Maine to California.

Tulsa Explosion Killed But One.

Tulsa, Ok., April 1.—With the exception of John Klepper, all of those reported missing after an explosion of nitroglycerin that wrecked the plant of the Central Torpedo company here have been accounted for.

Primary in Maryland.

Annapolis, Md., April 1.—The legislature before its final adjournment here passed a presidential primary bill.

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We are so positive that our remedy will permanently relieve constipation, no matter how chronic it may be, that we offer to furnish the medicine at our expense should it fail to produce satisfactory results.

It is worse than useless to attempt to cure constipation with cathartic drugs. Laxatives or cathartics do much harm. They cause a reaction, irritate and weaken the bowels and tend to make constipation more chronic. Besides, their use becomes a habit that is dangerous.

Constipation is caused by a weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine or descending colon. To expect permanent relief you must therefore tone up and strengthen these organs and restore them to healthier activity.

We want you to try Rexall Ointments on our recommendation. They are exceedingly pleasant to take, being eaten like candy, and are ideal for children, delicate persons, and old folks, as well as for the robust. They act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They apparently have a neutral action on other associate organs or glands. They do not purge, cause excessive looseness, nor create any inconvenience whatever. They may be taken at any time, day or night. They will positively relieve chronic or habitual constipation, if not of surgical variety, and the myriads of associate or dependent chronic ailments, if taken with regularity for a reasonable length of time.

12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store.

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New Clerk at Linville.

Mr. Walter Nunn of Chillicothe, who has been acting in the capacity of night clerk at the Linville hotel, leaves today for St. Joseph, where he will take a similar position at the Metropole hotel. Mr. Linwood U. Clark of Kansas City will succeed him as night clerk at the Linville.

THIS IS CERTAIN.

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What could furnish stronger evidence of the efficiency of any remedy than the test of time? Thousands of people testify that Doan's Kidney Pills cure permanently.

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William Lett of Pickering was in Maryville Friday forenoon consulting a physician. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. F. S. Baldwin of Denver, Col., who is on a visit to her parents.

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15 for 60c, \$3.50 per hundred.

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Farm raised birds, the quality

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and fertility of eggs, can guarantee

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Single Comb Buffs, \$1 per setting, or \$6 per 100.

Baby chicks, 15 cents each, or \$12 per 100.

A few settings of Single Comb Whites, \$3 per setting.

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from first pen, containing birds

scoring as high as 94 1/4, headed by a

prize winning cockerel. Eggs from

second pen \$1.50 per 15. Eggs from

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S. C. BUFF ORPINGTONS,

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WILL VOTE ON PLAN

OF CONSOLIDATING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN ONLY TWO PLACES.

FIRST TIME VOTED ON

Prof. Emberson Spoke to Good Crowd at Meeting at Pickering Saturday.

The consolidation plan will be voted on Tuesday in five school districts in Union township and in two districts in Lincoln township. The districts in Union that will vote on the plan are Pickering, Lock, Bloomfield, Mowery and Glendale, and the two school districts in Lincoln are Elmo and district No. 14, which is north of Elmo.

Since this is the first time that the consolidation plan of schools has been voted on in this county, the result will be watched closely, as many other school districts are agitating the plan. It is thought that the plan will carry at Elmo, but reports from Pickering indicate that it will be close in those five districts, with the odds against the plan.

Prof. R. H. Emberson of the rural education department of the state university at Columbia spoke at Pickering Saturday afternoon on the plan. The meeting was well attended and was held in the Christian church of that town. County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson also gave a talk on the advantages of consolidation.

During the past two years Prof. Emberson has been gathering data about the Missouri country school, "the little red school house" of the perfidious country politican. The schools pay low salaries, employ inferior teachers, are poorly equipped, have inferior buildings, and are attended by very few pupils, in certain sections. This condition is not general, but where it exists the plan is to consolidate several such districts, and get better instruction and equipment for the pupils by this means.

Consolidated rural schools have been tried out with great success in Illinois, Ohio and other states east of here. The plan as followed in Illinois is to consolidate three or four adjoining districts, and build a first-class school building in the center of the enlarged district. This enables the grading of the school to be worked out along the line of improved ideas, and for the equipment to be in no wise inferior to that of the town grade school. The roads leading to the school are worked by teams owned by the district, and children on the outskirts of the district are brought to school each morning by a hack, which calls for them at a certain hour. This eliminates the tardies and makes attendance far more regular than it is under present conditions.

In Missouri the consolidation of schools is urged in many parts of the state, and has been tried out in some places. The consolidated school district is able to build a school house heated by furnace, and with the best equipment, whereas it is a matter of common knowledge that many a country school is now poorly housed and is taught by poorly paid instructors.

Was Patient at Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and little daughter returned to their home in Stanberry Saturday. The little girl had been a patient at St. Francis hospital for a week from lung trouble, but went home much better.

Easter Cards

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All 5c booklets. 3c

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LECTURE TO TEACHERS.

President Taylor Spoke on "The Efficiency of the Teacher" at Maitland Saturday.

Dr. H. K. Taylor returned Saturday night from Maitland, where he delivered a lecture on "The Efficiency of the Teacher" before the Holt County District Teachers' association, which was in session at Maitland Friday and Saturday. Dr. Taylor reports a most interesting program, which consisted of addresses, discussions and several musical features. Dr. Taylor was especially impressed with the splendid work of the Maitland orchestra, which played at different times during the session of the association.

The association at Maitland is the last of a series of seven that have been conducted by County Superintendent E. A. Rock of Holt county. Prof. Rock has done much toward the raising of the efficiency of the schools of Holt county. He assured Dr. Taylor Saturday that he, together with a large number of his teachers, will attend the summer quarter of the Maryville Normal.

Dr. Taylor left Monday noon for Pattonburg, where he delivers a rural consolidation speech at the Civil Bend district Monday night.

MINK LEAGUE MEETING.

Hawatha Replaces Shenandoah and Beatrice Gets Clarinda Franchise.

Warren Cummings of Auburn, part owner of the local ball club last season, has been elected president of the Mink league, which organized for the season at a meeting at Auburn, Neb., Saturday. J. H. Morehead of Falls City, candidate for governor, was elected treasurer, and Mr. Cummings was also appointed secretary.

The Shenandoah, Ia., franchise was transferred to Hawatha, Kan., and the Clarinda, Ia., franchise to Beatrice, Neb. A schedule committee was appointed and the salary limit raised to \$900. The season will begin May 9 and end September 2.

COURT ADJOURNED TO APRIL 18.

Judge J. W. Peery to Sit as Special Judge in Grawney-O'Donnell Case.

Circuit court was adjourned late Saturday afternoon to April 18, when J. W. Peery of Albany will sit as special judge in the case of Elizabeth Grawney vs. Patrick J. O'Donnell and Joseph J. O'Donnell, to set aside a deed.

Court will then adjourn to May 6, when Judge Trimble of Liberty, Mo., is to sit as special judge in a number of cases.

TO ABANDON SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Matter Will Be Voted on Tuesday in

White Cloud to Do Away With

Fannin School District.

In White Cloud township the proposition of abandoning the Fannin school district will be voted on Tuesday. The plan is to divide the territory in this school among Sallow, Blackman, Trego and Morgan school districts in that township.

Presbyterian Holy Week Services.

Rev. Samuel D. Harkness announced a series of special services yesterday for this week. They are to be held Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. The events of the last week in the ministry of Jesus will serve as inspiration to a deeper consecration to the Master. These services will commence at 7:30 p. m. each night. Every one is cordially invited to join in this Holy Week worship.

Land Sale.

The Frank P. O'Riley 40-acre farm, five miles northeast of the city, was sold to O. W. Swinford through the Bickett & Son real estate agency for \$75 an acre, while Mr. O'Riley purchased the O. W. Swinford 80-acre farm, southwest of the city, for \$100 an acre. Mr. Swinford may move on his farm.

Mrs. Arthur Adecock and daughter, Chloe, of Fort Collins, Col., returned to Pickering Saturday, where they are visiting, from a few days' visit in Maryville with her brother-in-law, W. A. Townsend and family. Mrs. Adecock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, at Pickering. She was called home by the death of her sister, Miss Ethel Alexander.

The 9-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Grinnell, living near Gaynor, died Saturday morning of infantile paralysis, after a two weeks' illness. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the home. Owing to the infectious nature of the disease the Grinnell residence will be thoroughly fumigated.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

ELECTION TUESDAY

SOME LITTLE INTEREST TAKEN WITH TWO TICKETS IN FIELD.

ODDS FOR MAYOR ROBEY

Flight Made on F. C. Conrad and Jim Andy Ford—To Vote on School Directors.

Quite an interest is being taken in the city election to be held tomorrow, and there promises to be a large vote polled. There are two tickets in the field, the Non-Partisan and the People's ticket.

The candidates on the Non-Partisan ticket are:

Arthur S. Robey, for mayor.

John G. Grems, for city collector.

E. C. Moberly, for city marshal.

Frank Ewing, alderman from First ward.

John Borrusich, alderman from Second ward.

Jim Andy Ford, alderman from Third ward.

William Moyer, alderman from Fourth ward.

The candidates on the People's ticket are:

Judge J. H. Sayler, for mayor.

John G. Grems, for city collector.

E. C. Moberly, for city marshal.

Capt. E. S. Cook, alderman from First ward.

Charles McNeal, alderman from Third ward.

Ed Otis, alderman from Fourth ward.

The odds are in favor of the re-election of Mayor Robey.

The fight will be principally on the candidates for alderman. One will be on F. C. Conrad in the Second ward, who, it is said, deserved the credit for getting the People's ticket in the field. Jim Andy Ford will also have quite an opposition as the followers of the People's ticket seem to be centering their fight on him.

Two school directors—L. C. Cook and Dr. Jesse Miller—will also be voted on at this election. There is no opposition to this ticket. The usual school levy of six mills in addition to the four mills will also be voted on.

The result of the election will be known few minutes after the polls close Tuesday evening, and any one wanting to know can telephone The Democrat-Forum, who will get the election returns.

No Statement to Make.

When a representative of The Democrat-Forum asked Judge Sayler, the People's candidate for mayor, if he had any statement to make today in the way of submitting the proof to the charge that was made against Mayor Robey by him, he replied that he had nothing further to add.

The judge seems to have been very hasty in making the charge against Mayor Robey, and probably regrets it at this time. It is unfortunate, to say the least, that he should have permitted his temper to overcome his judgment. Indiscriminate assaults upon the character of candidates had a place in campaigns gone by, but the voters of the present day as a rule are not impressed with "mud slinging."

RICHEY CASE REVERSED

By the Kansas City Court of Appeals

Monday—Was an Insurance Suit.

Shinabarger, Blagg & Ellison received word from Kansas City Monday that the case of Mrs. Mary Richey vs. the W. O. W. Lodge had been reversed by the Kansas City court of appeals. The case was tried in Nodaway county about a year and a half ago, and Mrs. Richey secured judgment against the insurance company for \$1,600. Then an appeal was taken by Mrs. Richey to the court of appeals. B. R. Martin was the attorney for Mrs. Richey.

Death From Infantile Paralysis.

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OLD RESIDENT DIES

MRS. PETER PEARCE OF BARNARD PASSED AWAY SUNDAY.

LIVED HERE SINCE 1855

Was 78 Years Old—Funeral Services Will Be Held Tuesday at the Home.

Mrs. Peter Pearce of Barnard died Sunday afternoon at her home, in Barnard, after a three weeks' illness of old age. The funeral services will be held at the family home Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. A. Chapman of Rosedale. Burial in Barnard cemetery.

Mrs. Pearce's maiden name was Rachel Lytle. She was born in Baltimore, Md., July 24, 1833. She was married there to Peter Pearce June 4, 1853. They came to Nodaway county in 1855, and have lived here ever since. Eight children were born to them, four boys and four girls. The first born, a daughter, died at the age of 12 years. The remaining seven children were present at her death, and are W. T. Pearce of Maysville, N. L. and Frank Pearce of Barnard, Sale Pearce of Kansas, Misses Laura, Jenny and Rena Pearce at home.

Mrs. John Behm of this city is a niece of the deceased.

Mrs. Pearce had been a member of the Methodist Episcopal church since young womanhood.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. L. Circle Meeting.

Mrs. John H. Anderson of Grand avenue will be hostess to the M. L. Circle Tuesday afternoon.

Entertained at Dinner.

As Sunday was the fifty-sixth birthday anniversary of W. L. Robey, Mr. and Mrs. Robey entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. William Aufert and Mayor A. S. Robey and family.

Entertained for Nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows gave an evening party Friday in compilation to their nephews, Mr. Harold Bellows and Mr. Dale Bellows, and their guest, Mr. James Francis of Los Angeles, Cal., who are spending the spring vacation in Maryville from their studies at Ames, Ia., agricultural college. Those in the company beside the honor guests were Miss Ella Walton Frank, Miss Marie Brink, Miss Elise Jackson, Miss Cecil Benight, Miss Brownie Toel, Mr. Fred Bellows and Mr. Frank Schumacher.

Entertained for Mother.

Mrs. Lizzie Hillard of East Thompson street entertained with a dinner for her aged mother, Mrs. Sarah Covel, Sunday to observe her eighty-first birthday anniversary. It has been Mrs. Hillard's custom for several years to give a dinner on her mother's birthday anniversary. The guests on Sunday presented Mrs. Covel a gift of money amounting to \$8.75. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Al Middleton, Miss Lulu Pearl Middleton, Frank Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, and Riley Covel.

Her Nineteenth Birthday.

Miss Marie Grundy entertained a number of her girl friends Saturday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Grundy, to observe her nineteenth birthday anniversary. And this is the very last birthday party she is going to have, because she is going to quit having birthdays any more. A delightful evening was spent playing various games, when refreshments were served. Miss Grundy was assisted in entertaining by her mother and sister, Miss Marie. The guests were Misses Oma Robey, Lois Cummings, Esther Roberts, Hazel Gove, Sylvesta Holliday, Hazel Martin, Ola, Ora and Flora King, Ada Clayton, Zephia Spoor, Angie VanHorn, Audrey Broyles, Marie Grundy, Mary Culver

Party at Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMaster of Hopkins entertained the Salad club and its husbands and gentlemen friends at the club's final card party of the season, given Friday night. Mrs. C. E. Donlin won the lady's prize. The gentleman's prize went to Mr. Warren Robb, and the guest prize to Miss Edna Bonewitz. An elegant luncheon was served after the games. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wofers, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woolridge, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clutter, Mrs. J. W. Lindsay, Misses Kate and May Brown, Messrs. Simeon and S. E. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown, Mr. Jacob Haat, Mr. Robert Wofers, Miss Lou Hughes, Miss Edna Bonewitz, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Robb.

STABBED IN FIGHT

FRED GRIFFY BADLY CUT BY JAMES LANE AT CLEARMONT.

LANE ALSO DREW A GUN

Trouble Started Over a School Matter—Lane Has Not Been Arrested as Yet.

In a fight at Clearmont Saturday morning, Fred Griffey was stabbed by James Lane. The cut is deep and two inches long and might prove a serious one. When Lane attempted to stab Griffey a second time he was knocked down by Howard Garrett, Lane then pulled out a revolver on both of them and said that he would kill them, but evidently changed his mind, for he didn't use it.

The trouble seems to have started back in the Heads College school, southeast of Clearmont, of which Hubert Garrett is teacher. Cleo Lane, about 8 years old and a son of James Lane, was corrected for whistling in school one day. He told his father, who was district clerk of the school the boy was taken out of the school and it is said that Lane made some remarks and called young Garrett several names.

Then Howard Garrett, an older brother of Hubert, took the matter up and inquired of Lane Saturday morning on the main street in Clearmont if it was true that he had called his brother names. Lane denied that he had.

Lane then said he could prove it by Fred Griffey, so he called for Griffey, who joined for the party. Griffey replied that he had heard Lane use abusive language against the teacher. Lane immediately pulled out a jack knife and stabbed Griffey.

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Best SODA CRACKERS, ahd boxes
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WHITE CLOVER HONEY, frame, 15c

10c pkgs TEA RUSK, 2 for 15c

10c pkgs best ROLLED OATS for 10c

10c pkgs best CORN FLAKES for 6c

15c pkgs best CORN FLAKES for 9c

Campbell's 21 kinds SOUP, dozen cans
for 90c

Pure LARD (Rex brand), 4½ lbs 50c

DIAMOND C or LENOX SOAP, 10
bars 25c

10c tall PET MILK, largest can 7c

5c baby size PPET MILK, 3 cans, 10c

10c pkgs MINCE MEAT, 2 for 15c: 4
for 25c

5c RUB NO MORE, 3 pkgs 10c

10c BORAX SOAP CHIPS, 2 for 15c

15c KNOX GELATINE for 11c

New ALMONDS, WALNUTS, FIL-
BERTS or PECANS, lb 15c

48 lbs SAFEGUARD FLOUR, warrant-
ed 21.20

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ed 23.35

Iowa Chief SUGAR CORN, best corn
packed in the west; 4 cans 25c

Best Indiana TOMATOES, quart cans,
for 10c

Best Indiana TOMATOES, size No. 2
cans, for 7c

Quart cans LYME HOMINY, 4 for 25c

Quart cans best PUMPKIN, 2 for 15c

Van Camp's EARLY RED BEETS,
quart cans, 3 for 25c

Best quality COUNTRY SORGHUM,
gallon 55c

SEED POTATOES—Rel River Early
Ohio, plenty of them at, bu 1.65

ONION SETS, gallon 30c

15c cans PINK SALMON, 1-lb tall
cans 10c

10c cans PINK SALMON, ½-lb tall
cans, 2 for 15c

30 sacks JAPAN RICE, good quality,
5 lbs 25c

Michigan NAVY BEANS, 5 lbs 25c

New PEARL HOMINY, 8 lbs 25c

Fresh FLAKED HOMINY, 7 lbs 25c

18 lbs Santa Clara PRUNES for 1.00

8 lbs extra fancy YELLOW PEACHES
for 1.00

SEEDED RAISINS, 2 pkgs 15c

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100 dozen cans California SLICED
LEMON CLING PEACHES, 3 cans
for 50c

These are regular 25c size cans.

New York State PLUMS in syrup,
quart cans, 4 for 45c

2½ lbs pure BAKING POWDER in
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Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan
Cook, went to St. Joseph Saturday
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FAMILY RESCUED FROM HOUSEBOAT

Craft Sunk Within Five Minutes After
Last Person Was Safe.

DRINKWATER LEVEE WENT OUT

Passengers Taken From Two iron
Mountain Trains in Boats Near
Bird's Point, Mo.—Bridge
in Nebraska Ruined.

St. Louis, April 1.—Thousands of
spectators saw the thrilling rescue of
a family of seven from a sinking
houseboat in which a man, his wife
and five small children lived, which
was torn from its moorings by the
heavy driftwood that was carried
from flood points above here. Soon
after being swept into the current the
raft craft, dragged over sunken
snags, stove in its bottom and started
to sink.

Two motor boats rushed to the res-
cue and after fighting off the heavy
drift reached the side of the boat.
Just as the water was sweeping over
the deck, it sank within five min-
utes after the last occupant had
stepped to safety.

Both Rivers Rising.

Both the Mississippi and Ohio are
rising at Cairo and although the city
proper can stand several feet more,
anxiety is felt for the levees above
and below the mouth of the Ohio.

The Drinkwater levee, on the Mis-
souri side, broke, despite the efforts
of more than 1,000 men, and the
water is sweeping over three-mile
stretch of levee and flooding almost
the entire southeastern section of Mis-
souri.

Two Iron Mountain trains were
caught between the Bird's Point and
Charlevoix floods and the passengers
had to be taken off in boats.

Missouri Gets Platte Flood.

Omaha, Neb., April 1.—The crest of
the Platte river flood, which crippled
railway service and inundated thou-
sands of acres in eastern Nebraska
the last three days, has passed into
the Missouri river. The Platte is
steadily lowering, but water still over-
flows large areas and train service is
demolished.

The Burlington main line bridge at
Ashland, which withstood the pound-
ing of ice for three days, was finally
put out of commission at 2 o'clock in
the afternoon when the west abut-
ment sank four feet as a result of
the washing out of the supporting
earth. A pile driver sent over the
bridge to repair a damaged culvert on
the east approach is marooned be-
tween the two breaks.

SUGAR TRUST JURY DISAGREED

Three Years After Indictment, Trial
of Officers for Violating Sherman
Law Ends Without Result.

New York, April 1.—The jury in the
case of John E. Parsons, Washington
B. Thomas, George H. Frazier and
Arthur Donner, charged with violat-
ing the criminal clause of the Sher-
man anti-trust law while directors of
the American Sugar Refining company,
reported a disagreement in the United
States district court shortly before
1:30 o'clock a.m. The jury was dis-
charged.

The indictments, found in July, 1909,
alleged a conspiracy to close the new-
ly-built plant of the Pennsylvania
Sugar Refining company at Philadel-
phia in 1903. This was done, the gov-
ernment charged, by obtaining control
of the majority stock of the Pennsyl-
vania company, a probable competi-
tor of the American concern, through
a loan of \$1,250,000 made to Adolph
Segal, promoter of the Pennsylvania
company.

DENVER BANKS CONSOLIDATED

Combination Makes One of Largest
Institutions in West, With Capi-
tal of \$25,000,000.

Denver, April 1.—The directors of
the First National bank of Denver and
of the Capitol National bank of Den-
ver announced the consolidation of the
latter with the former institution. By
the consolidation the First National
will increase its capital stock to \$1,
250,000, and its surplus to the same
amount, which will make it one of the
largest banking institutions in the
West. The combined resources will
total \$25,000,000.

Capper Buys Farm Paper.

Guthrie, Ok., April 1.—Arthur Capper
of the Topeka Capital bought from
Frank H. Greer of Guthrie the Okla-
homa Farmer, a semi-monthly farm
publication. M. L. Crowther of Osage
City, Kan., will be editor in charge here.

New President in Ecuador.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, April 1.—Gen.
Leonidas Plaza has been elected presi-
dent of Ecuador. Plaza was com-
mander of the government troops
which opposed the recent revolution-
ary movement.

Postal Bank With No Patrons.

Peoria, Ill., April 1.—The Postal
Savings bank which has been opened
at Minier, Ill., since March 1 has the
unusual record of not a single deposit
in the first 30 days which it has been
open for business.

Senator Taylor Dead.

Washington, April 1.—Robert Love
Taylor, senior United States senator
from Tennessee—"Fiddling Bob," to
all the South—died here. He was
unable to withstand the shock of an
operation performed last Thursday.
He was 61 years old.

Arizona's Saloons in Peril.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 1.—The fate of
at least half the saloons in Arizona
is believed to hang upon the decision of
Gov. Hunt in reference to a bill
just passed by the legislature to ex-
empt the saloons in Benson and Tucson
from the law which prohibits the
sale of liquor within six miles of a
construction camp.

Man Who Attempted to Whip New Mexico Justice Shot and Killed.

Kenna, N. M., April 1.—Walter Orr,
who formerly owned the townsite of
Kenna, was shot and killed in the
justice of the peace court room here
after a scuffle with Justice W. H.
Cooper, whom Orr was trying to whip
because he had assessed him a fine of
\$5 for contempt of court. The judge
was injured slightly by a bullet grazing
his hand. Hayzell Smith, brother-in-law
of the dead man, was arrested for the
killing. The shots were fired while
the courtroom was crowded and the
constable was pulling Orr away from
the magistrate.

Japs Have Mexican Port?

Washington, April 1.—That there
may be "some truth" in the report
cabled from Tokyo that Japan has
obtained concessions at Magdalena
Bay, Mexico, was the admission of the
state department officials. But it was
insisted that if such a station were
secured it was purely a "commercial
base."

TO BREAK UP COLD.

Some Advice That Will Save Time and
Money.

Strong drink and quinine may re-
lieve a cold, but it usually does more
harm than good.

To break up a hard cold in either
head or chest thousands are using this
simple treatment.

First of all look after your bowels;
if they need attention use any reliable
cathartic. Then pour a scant tea-
spoonful of Hyomel into a bowl of
boiling water, cover head and bowl
with a towel and breathe for five or
ten minutes the pleasant, soothing,
healing vapor.

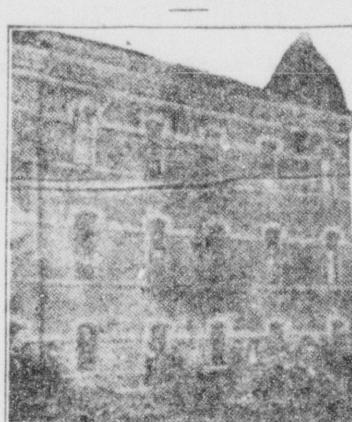
Do this just before going to bed;
your head will feel fine and clear and
you'll awake from a refreshing sleep
minus a cold in the morning.

For colds, coughs, catarrh, asthma
and croup Hyomel is guaranteed. A
50 cent bottle is all you need to break
up a cold and this can be obtained at
the Orear-Henry Drug Co.'s and drug-
ists everywhere.

Plenty of coal on hand. No advance in price.

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CITY HALL AND STATION.



MANIAC TRIED TO KILL GORE

Blind Senator of Oklahoma Had Nar-
row Escape at Waukesha.

ATTACKED IN MIDDLE OF SPEECH

Senator Unaware of Danger Until
Lunatic Was Knocked From Plat-
form by Judge P. C. Harmin
—Carried Club Under Coat.

Waukesha, Wis., April 1.—Senator
Gore of Oklahoma narrowly escaped
death here when Charles Schomulla,
a crazed Pole, attacked him with a
club while the senator was speaking.

The Pole was sitting near the stage
and in the midst of the blind senator's
speech suddenly leaped to the
platform, drawing a club from under
his overcoat as he jumped. He struck
at the senator's head.

One of the men on the stage, Judge
P. C. Harmin, was quicker than the
maniac, however, and knocked Schomulla
off the stage before his blow landed.
The senator, who could not see his
danger was unaware of the trouble
until the man was being over-
powered by the audience.

Speech Half Finished.

Senator Gore had arrived here in
the afternoon for one of a half dozen
speeches he was making in a hur-
ricane wind-up of the campaign for
Woodrow Wilson.

Judge Harmin had introduced him
to the audience and had taken his
seat back on the stage, while Senator
Gore was proceeding with his address.
The speech was nearly half ended
when the Pole rose suddenly and
jumped to the platform, taking the
club from under his coat, where he
had hidden it.

Promptly Knocked Down.

He was shouting incoherently that
he was Jesus, and the audience for
the moment was panic-stricken as the
maniac ran toward Senator Gore.

As he raised the club Judge Harmin
and a dozen others rushed forward.
Harmin reached him first and fended
him with a blow on the chin.

The authorities have found that
Schomulla had planned to attack
Roosevelt, who he thought was to go
through Waukesha. The Roosevelt
train, however, went through Wiscon-
sin over another route.

French Motor Bandit Caught.



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A Silo Built of Hollow Clay Blocks

To the Farmer:

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MORE SHOOTING AT ROCK ISLAND

Riot and Murder Follows First Day of Open Saloons.

EIGHTY MEN ARE UNDER ARREST

Soldiers Claim They Have Not Fired a Shot—Dead Man Found in Alley After Raid on Club—Juries Resume Inquiry.

Rock Island, Ill., April 1.—One murder, a vicious attack by slugs, scores of fights and 80 men arrested, was the record of the first day of open saloons at Rock Island since the militia closed down the places after the fatal rioting of last Tuesday.

The dead man is Rufus Phoenix, who was shot and his body thrown in an alley. His death is surrounded in mystery, the slugs claiming he was shot by the soldiers, while the commanding officer of the state forces declares his men have not fired a shot since they assumed charge of the city.

Mistaken for Police Chief.

Walter Rice of Galesburg is badly battered as a result of being taken for Chief of Police Brinn. Rice and Brinn look very much alike and dress almost exactly the same. It is believed Rice was attacked and beaten by a band of slugs who thought they were assaulting the chief of police.

Eighty men, participants in street fights during the night, many of them in醉, are in the city and county jails.

Following a free for all fight at the Lincoln club and the interference of soldiers and police, Rufus Phoenix, chauffeur for Capt. Walter Rosenfield, who is campaign manager for Laurence Y. Sherman, candidate for governor, was found dead in the alley outside of the club shortly after midnight. He had been shot through the left lung. Two stories are being circulated as to how he met his death.

Stories Disagree.

One is that in a dispute in a poker game he was shot and his body taken outside the club to avoid publicity. The other is that in the scramble of club members to get away when the police and militia arrived he was shot down in trying to escape.

Fifteen men found in the club when the raid was made are locked in the police station. Coroner Rose will hold a rigid investigation as soon as he finishes with the inquest on the two riot victims. Sheriff Bruner declared that Phoenix had not been shot by a militiaman.

All troops excepting two companies will be withdrawn in the morning. These companies combined will muster about 100 men.

The coroner's jury will resume its double inquest and among the witnesses to be called are Mayor Schriver and his bitter enemy, Harry McCaskrin.

The grand jury will reconvene and will take the witnesses as fast as the coroner's jury finishes its inquisition.

FULTON SALOONS WILL REMAIN

Circuit Court Declares Legal Recent Election in Which Wettes Were Victorious.

Fulton, Mo., April 1.—Judge David H. Harris, of the 34th judicial circuit disposed of the temporary writ of prohibition against the county court issued by him some weeks ago by ruling that while the local option law does not specifically provide for a resubmission of the measure after it had been once voted upon, the title of the bill implied such, and that an election after the expiration of four years would be legal. The ruling in effect declares legal the recent election by which saloons were voted into Fulton.

Army Chaplain a Suicide.
Jacksonville, Ill., April 1.—The body of the Rev. John A. Dallam, a chaplain in the army, was found in a field near Meredosia, this county. He had been stationed at Fort Harrison, Indianapolis, and disappeared from that post two weeks ago.

Drowned in Cedar River.
Waterloo, Iowa, April 1.—Walter Downing, 21 years old, was drowned and a brother 19 years old narrowly escaped death when their boat capsized in Cedar river, a half mile above the city. The current is deep and swift and the body was not recovered.

Wiley to Lecture.
New York, April 1.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley has just closed a contract here to give 100 lectures through the United States next season. The tour will begin in October and will include engagements from Maine to California.

Tulsa Explosion Killed But One.
Tulsa, Ok., April 1.—With the exception of John Klepper, all of those reported missing after an explosion of nitroglycerin that wrecked the plant of the Central Torpedo company here have been accounted for.

Primary in Maryland.
Annapolis, Md., April 1.—The legislature before its final adjournment here passed a presidential primary bill.

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